

It looks now like the Democrats will be compelled to take a little sugar in their tariff for revenue only.

So far as we have been able to observe, Italy's entrance in the European war has not proven of much consequence in beating the Germans.

It looks like some of our patriotic citizens are getting ready to hog millions from Uncle Sam's disposition to make a little effective military preparation.

Congressman Hensley will "hold up the hands" of President Wilson on the preparedness question. Mr. Hensley is evidently prepared to eat his record as an anti-armament man.

Sentimentalism seems to have gone to seed when it condemns a doctor for permitting a newborn baby to die because it was both physically and mentally defective, when by an operation its life might have been saved.

The "frightfulness" of the great war has piled horror upon horror, but the limit was reached when the Parisian modists declared a boycott on two he dressmakers with whom Mrs. Galt placed an order for frocks for her trousseau because they bore German names. Fire a "strict accountability" note at France, Woodrow.

The farmers this year have some measure of prosperity and of course the Democratic party is claiming credit for it. The preceding calamity years the farmer had to contend with were due to the drought, however. In times of Democratic rule calamity is a divine dispensation and prosperity a present from the Democratic party. For this you should humble give thanks to the Wilson administration tomorrow.

Just how Brother Ake of the Ironpen Register is going to reconcile his allegiance to the President with his confidence in Mr. Bryan promises to furnish us with some real entertainment while those two excellent men are suddenly so widely apart on the question of military preparation by this country. On this issue the Register stands with Bryan, and here is what he has to say about that portion of the eastern press which has been jumping on the great apostle of peace for taking issue with the President:

The diatribes of the Eastern Press against Mr. Bryan have a vindictive, gangrened tinge not grateful to the perception of old-time, true-blue Democrats. I, for one, dissent sometimes from the views of the ex-Secretary of State, but when it comes to choosing between him and the late Palmer-and-Buckner following, you may easily guess where I am at.

There is one point in the action of the State Public Service Commission allowing the railroads an increase in passenger rates that does not strike us right. It is contended that the railroads have lost much money under the two-cent rate through competition in certain classes of traffic, whereby the rates were cut below two cents; this, it is claimed, made a general higher rate necessary in order to balance the loss resulting from rate cutting. If this is true, it seems that the railroads themselves, rather than the law fixing the maximum fare at two cents per mile, were responsible for their losses on passenger traffic, and in order to balance this loss, they are now shifting the burden upon the traveling public through the advance in the general rate. We want to add that, as long as the Public Service Commission assumes the authority to regulate and fix the cost of passenger traffic in Missouri, it should also exercise the same authority for the prevention of all rate cutting. There is no justice in making up on one class of traffic what is lost in competitive greed on another class. Compel the railroads to make the same rate on all hauls.

Christmas Buying

Santa Claus will make his headquarter at our store from now until after the Christmas holidays

We Have Just Received a Full Line of
TOYS, DOLLS, TOILET SETS,
MANICURE SETS, STATIONERY,
BOOK, CANDIES,
and many other things suitable for gifts.

Also a Full Stock in the Drug Line

We take this opportunity to thank our customers for their patronage for the past year, and to assure them that we are prepared at all times to give them the best goods and service.

H. J. BLOUNT DRUG COMPANY
By H. J. BLOUNT

Vincent Astor, the young plute, was "touched" for his wad of \$230 in a theatre crowd the other night and he made a holler about it like any of us "common people" who work for our mun might have done under the circumstances.

There seems to be some disposition on part of the Missouri Democracy to draft Champ Clark as its candidate for governor next year to save the party from defeat. Champ, himself, does not appear to be very enthusiastic over the proposition. We are more inclined to believe that instead of becoming a candidate for governor Clark will be Wilson's team-mate on the national ticket.

The Democratic party has redeemed none of the promises in its national platform of 1912, except in the revision of the tariff, and that has proven a complete failure so far as any actual benefits go. The party is now in a position where it must abandon pretty nearly every plank in that platform and find a new issue for the campaign of 1916. No doubt the "molasses with which to draw flies" will be an appeal to "stand by" Wilson on his policy in connection with the European war, and also his proposition to make this country invulnerable to foreign attack. On both these points he is in much disfavor however, and the situation is daily becoming more hazardous for his reelection. Clearly, everything points to a return of the Republican party to power as the result of the general election next year, which only another split in that party can prevent. "Stand by" the Grand Old Party.

Stealing Protection Issues.

The Democrats are at the present time trying to push the Republicans off of their own platform. First of all they have suddenly embraced the doctrine of preparedness, not exactly a Republican asset, but one that Republicans have more generally favored than Democrats in the past. On this case they have taken the Roosevelt issue, stolen it bodily, and they are going to do business with it in the next campaign. In a moment they have changed to talking about an army that is staggering in size and about a navy that shall almost equal England herself.

But on the Tariff, also, they are hedging. They are admitting that their Free-Trade ideas are not the correct ones for this country. They realize also that they have been saved by the war from plunging the country into doldrums. The war has saved them, for the war has set up trade barriers that are as effective as the highest Protective duties would have been. But under the guise of needed revenues they are seeking to crawl from under the Free-Trade ruin which stares us in the face, if the war should come to an end. They are

talking of putting a "moderate" duty back on wool. They used to call the woolen schedules robberies of the people. Are they now willing to compromise as to those robberies? Or sugar they have almost decided to leave the old duties for a while longer, after they have all but broken down the industry through the tariff. And lastly they are talking of a slight duty on many chemicals, so that we may develop that industry permanently in this country, the industry being that of making chemical dyes and so forth. So we are to have a duty not merely for revenues, but for building up "an infant industry." Was there ever such a thing dreamed of from the most back Democrats? Have they become convinced that a Protective Tariff is not a robbery after all?—Cedar Rapids, (Iowa) Republican.

Bismarck.

Keith Plank left one day last week for Richmond, Virginia, where he has been employed in an ammunition factory, with which his brother, Frank Plank, is connected.

Editor J. F. Schroeder, of the Bismarck Gazette, and family are visiting relatives at Valmeyer, Ill.

Mrs. L. F. Kidd is visiting her daughter in St. Louis.

E. L. McComber of Irondale was in our town last Friday.

James Bradley is reported quite sick at this writing.

Miss Mildred Luft returned home Thursday from a visit to Potosi friends.

D. S. Painter and family are visiting at Leadwood this week.

Gilbert Rickmar of the U. S. Navy is visiting his parents here.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Eaton left last Wednesday for San Francisco. Dr. Eaton, who is president of the board of managers of the State Sanatorium for Consumptives at Mt. Vernon, has been commissioned by Governor Major to attend to the packing and shipment of the furniture and fixtures in the Missouri Building at the Panama Exposition at San Francisco, when the fair closes. The furnishings are to be installed in the two new buildings of the Sanatorium now nearing completion.

Eye.

Rev. Thos. Maxwell preached at the Missionary Ridge church last Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Fisher and sister of Leadwood have been visiting relatives here.

Mr. Harrison Algire and family left last Saturday for Webb City, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Bige Sparks visited her son, Luther Sparks, here Sunday.

Mrs. S. V. Eye of Shirley visited her brother, Mr. Wm. Allen, here Sunday last.

Mr. Andrew Welker passed through our burg Sunday on his way to Bonne Terre.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Sparks are spending this week in St. Louis.

Varying Value of Diamonds.

In regard to the relative value of diamonds of different colors, it may be said, generally, that the perfectly transparent, uncolored stones, which show no hues except those produced by refraction, stand at the head. Sometimes a tinted gem, if possessing extraordinary "fire," and of considerable size, may excel in value. The Russian crown, for instance, has a deep red diamond, which, because of its rarity, is very highly valued.

Notice of Local Option Election

STATE OF MISSOURI,
County of Washington.

In the county court held within and for the county of Washington, in the State of Missouri, on Nov. 1, 1915, being the first day of said November term, 1915, of said county court, the following among other proceedings were had:

Order.

In the matter of choosing a county local option election.

Now at this, the first day of November, 1915, the court, Judge P. P. Ward, John M. Jarman, J. C. O'Neal and other citizens and voters of Washington County, Missouri, qualified to vote for members of the state legislature, who reside in Washington County aforesaid, and outside the corporate limits of any incorporated city or town in said county, having a population of twenty-five hundred or more at the time of the filing, presentation and reception of said petition to determine whether or not to

not spirituous liquors, including wine and beer, shall be sold within the limits of Washington County aforesaid, outside the corporate limits of any incorporated city or town within said county containing a population of twenty-five hundred inhabitants or more, as provided by Article 3, Chapter 63 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1909, commonly known as the local option law.

And the court, having seen and heard said petition and having fully considered the same, doth find that said petition is duly signed by more than ten per cent of the voters residing in Washington County aforesaid, who are qualified to vote for members of the state legislature, and who reside outside the corporate limits of any city or town within said county containing a population of twenty-five hundred or more inhabitants at the time of the filing, presentation and reception of said petition, as shown by the poll books of the last previous general election in said county, and the court doth further find that at the time of the filing, presentation and reception of said petition, and the making of this order, that within the limits of Washington County aforesaid there is no incorporated city or town which contains a population of twenty-five hundred inhabitants or more, as shown by the last census taken in said county.

It is therefore considered, ordered, adjudged and decreed by the County Court of Washington County aforesaid, that a special election be held in and throughout Washington County, Missouri, on Friday, the tenth day of December, 1915, at the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon, at the usual voting precincts for holding general elections for state and county officers, which said precincts are Richmond, Algire, Cleora, Old Mines, Tipton, Colet, Leary, Northside, Storrs, Shirley, Leroy, Crutts, Palmer, Turner's Store, Sunlight, Belgrade, Caledonia, Bherlock, Irondale, Hopewell, Mineral Point and Potosi, to determine whether or not spirituous liquors, including wine and beer, shall be sold, furnished or given away within the limits of Washington County, Missouri.

And it is further considered, ordered, adjudged and decreed by the County Court of Washington County aforesaid, that said special election shall be held within forty days of the date of filing, presentation and reception of said petition, and on the tenth day of December, Nineteen Hundred and Fifteen, as aforesaid, and that said special election shall be conducted, the returns thereof made and determined in accordance with all respects with the laws of the state of Missouri governing general elections for state and county officers; and the results thereof shall be entered upon the records of the County Court of Washington County, Missouri, and the expenses of said special election shall be paid out of the county treasury of said Washington County, as in and to the effect of said order, and the court doth hereby certify that all persons voting at said special election who are against the sale of intoxicating liquors shall have written or printed on their ballots: "AGAINST THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS," and all those who are in favor of the sale of such intoxicating liquors shall have written or printed on their ballots: "FOR THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS."

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The first session of said court to within ten days next before the day of said election, to-wit: within ten days before the first day of December, 1915, at the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon, at the usual voting precincts for holding general elections for state and county officers, which said precincts are Richmond, Algire, Cleora, Old Mines, Tipton, Colet, Leary, Northside, Storrs, Shirley, Leroy, Crutts, Palmer, Turner's Store, Sunlight, Belgrade, Caledonia, Bherlock, Irondale, Hopewell, Mineral Point and Potosi, to determine whether or not spirituous liquors, including wine and beer, shall be sold, furnished or given away within the limits of Washington County, Missouri.

And it is further ordered by the court that the clerk of this court make a certified copy of this order for publication as aforesaid in the Potosi Journal, and cause the same to be so published therein, and that a certified copy when duly prepared and so published in accordance with this order shall be deemed and taken as the notice of said special election and said order and notice shall be signed by the Presiding Judge of the County Court of Washington County, Missouri, attested by the clerk of said court, and shall have the seal of said court affixed to make notice.

G. W. REABOURN, Presiding Judge of the County Court of Washington County, Missouri.

(Seal) Attest: GEORGE NOONAN, Clerk of the County Court of Washington County, Missouri.

I, George Noonan, Clerk of the County Court of Washington County, Missouri, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, complete and correct copy of the order, judgment and decree of said County Court in the above entitled cause as fully as the same appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court this 1st day of November, 1915.

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